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Examiner: Stephens, Jacqueline F.

Art Unit: 3761

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Customer No.: 27623 Attorney Docket No.: 460.2242USQ

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$0.00.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	6	Minus	27		x \$50.00	0\$
Independent Claims	1	Minus	3		x \$200.00	0\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					x \$360.00 =	\$
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						\$0.00
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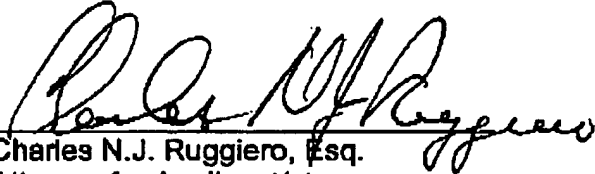
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X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

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**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****Request for Reconsideration****Dear Sir:**

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 10, 2005 in the above-referenced application:

**Listing of Claims** is reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.